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SUBJECT: CAPTURED SOVIET EQUIPMENT: PROBLEMS WITH IDF

REF: TEL AVIV 8907

1. YESTERDAY I SPOKE TO FOREIGN MINISTER EBAN IN LATE AFTER-
NOON ABOUT PROBLEMS WE WERE HAVING WITH IDF RELUCTANCE TO
RELEASE "ONE OF A KIND" ITEMS FOR QUICK JOINT EXPLOITATION IN
THE US. EBAN SAID HE WOULD CHECK ON THIS IMMEDIATELY WITH
DEF MIN DAYAN AND ACTING PRIMIN ALLON. DESPITE SEVERAL CHECKS
I HAVE HEARD NOTHING FURTHER.

2. WE DO NOT EXPECT THAT THE MAJOR ITEMS REFERRED TO IN
REFTEL WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE BY THE IDF FOR SHIPMENT TO US
ON USAF AIRCRAFT LEAVING LATER TODAY. WE DO EXPECT, HOWEVER,
THAT IAF TEAM WILL BE ON BOARD, OSTENSIBLY IN CONNECTION WITH
SA-6 WARHEAD; ADDITIONAL-IF NOT MAJOR-PURPOSE OF TEAM, HOWEVER,
IS PROBABLY TO LOBBY AROUND WASHINGTON FOR GEN PELED'S NEW SHOPPING
LIST. UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES, I STRONGLY
RECOMMEND THAT WE
ACCORD THESE PARTICULAR GENTLEMEN A DIGNIFIED BUT VERY COOL
RECEPTION FOR WHICH YOU MAY WISH TO MAKE KNOWN TO THEM THE
REASON.
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